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In re application of:

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For: **METHODS FOR TREATING DISEASES
CAUSED BY DEFICIENCIES OF
RECOMBINANT α -L-IDURONIDASE**

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Examiner: Manjunath N. Rao

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**RECEIVED**

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated **April 10, 2003**, and is submitted on or before the due date of **May 10, 2003**. Applicant believes that there is no fee associated with the submission of this matter. However, if there is a fee deficiency, the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is authorized to charge the fee to Deposit Account No 08-3038.

THE REMARKS

The Examiner has required restriction to one of the following inventions pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §121:

I. Claims 1-13, drawn to formulation/pharmaceutical composition comprising human recombinant α -L-iduronidase or biologically active fragments or mutein thereof with a purity of greater than 99%, classified in class 435, subclass 201.

II. Claims 14-57, drawn to a method of treating diseases caused all or in part by a deficiency of α -L-iduronidase comprising administering the pharmaceutical composition comprising human recombinant α -L-iduronidase or biologically active fragments or mutein thereof with a purity of greater than 99%, classified in class 424, subclass 94.1.